

Turnham Green
London

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My Dear Dr Asa Gray

My head is totally out of con-
dition and I am very desirous to
return to you the *Oxchies* named
in your letter of June 24¹⁸⁶³ before I lose
all power of recognition. What can
I do with them. I dare say Mr
Bateman wd take them in hand if
you approved - I have never been able
to touch them yet.
I pray be good enough to let me
know what to do with them.

Yours truly

John Lindley